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County Food Administration Established in Headquarters in Iron Exchange Building

Cooperation Between People and Government will Assist to Solve Many Difficulties

County Food Administrator Andrew E. Berglund is now established in offices, Room 212, of the Iron Exchange building and the telephone number is Northwest No. 987.

In an interview Mr. Berglund said:

"Everybody in Crow Wing county is invited here to explain their food troubles to the food administrator. You will perhaps not always find the food administrator there, but tell the people in charge and they in turn will explain to the food administrator.

"If you have trouble in making bread we can perhaps help you, and if you can tell us some way to make good bread, etc., tell us of that also, bring samples and recipes so that we in turn may show others and in this way we will try and be of the best of service to all the people."

"Also, if you know that there is someone who does not comply with the food regulations, we ask you to tell us of this, the information will be handled in strict confidence, but we will not handle any information given unless such information is signed."

"If you know that your neighbor has more than his quota of flour and sugar, that is, if he has a reasonably large surplus, or if he has not made a report, we would like to know it and it is your duty to tell us of this. We, also, want the people to know that we like suggestions as to handling different matters pertaining to food as such will perhaps prove of great value to the food administration; make all such matters in writing."

"All telephone calls will be handled and if you want to tell the food administrator something over the telephone and he is not in the office you will please give your message to the girl at the phone in his office and she in turn will write same down so the food administrator will receive same as soon as his time permits and he in turn will answer you by phone or mail."

"If you do not receive an answer the same day do not think your message was forgotten, it may take two or three days. Write this phone number in your dining room and kitchen, '987', it is the number of the food administration. If you have a message that is very important we would prefer that you would make same in writing and address to A. E. Berglund, County Food Administrator, Brainerd, Minn."

—BUY W. S. S.—

Sinn Feiners Active Rebuild Organization

Dublin, May 22—The Sinn Feiners in Ireland are recovering from the first shock of surprise and consternation resulting from the arrest of leaders and are determinedly pushing plans for resisting conscription. They are rebuilding their shattered organization and strengthening it in weakened places. They boast that their organization has been affected in remote places only.

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Naval Aviator in Spectacular Air Battle

(By United Press)

Washington, May 22—An official statement announcing the death of Ensign Stephen Potter of Detroit, in a spectacular air battle with seven single seaters, reveals the fact that American naval aviators operated over Helgoland bight.

Potter and a companion battled gamely against the Teutons and quit only when the machine was in flames, and plunged into the sea.

The last seen of him was on the surface of the sea surrounded by burning oil. Suddenly a cloud of smoke obscured him, then machine and man disappeared completely.

—BUY W. S. S.—

Lull in Artillery May Forecast Storm in German Offensive

(By United Press)

With the Americans in Picardy, May 22—The resumption of the German offensive may include this region in the opinion of experts. The marked quiet of artillery activities may be a forerunner of the storm.

The Boches have been particularly quiet during the past thirty-six hours. They have not dug in extensively except around Cantigny and Montdidier. Aerial activity has not let up.

—BUY W. S. S.—

Holland Informs U. S. Reply Unsatisfactory

(By United Press)

Washington, May 22—Replies to the American answer to the Dutch protest at seizing her ships, Holland informs the U. S. that she considers her explanation unsatisfactory.

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Haig Reports Various Successful Raids

(By United Press)

London, May 22—General Haig reports successful British raids in various sectors and German artillery fire south of Albert and in western and southern portions of the Flanders front.

—BUY W. S. S.—

Tax Bill Necessary This Session-Wilson

(By United Press)

Washington, May 22—President Wilson regards a tax bill necessary at this session of congress. McAdoo, in a conference with the president yesterday, won him over to his plan for raising additional revenues.

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Latest Telegraph

New Compromise

Washington, May 22—Senator Thomas, of Kansas, announces that a new compromise has practically been agreed upon by administration forces and supporters of the senate inquiry.

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Incidents in trench life, real heart-throbs to make you anxious to do more than you are now doing in the interests of the boys who are in the world war, will be afforded the public Thursday evening at the Park Opera house in one of the biggest patriotic meetings thus far held in Brainerd.

Lieutenant L. Maryin, direct from the war zone and with a record of active service in the trenches, will speak under the auspices of the American Red Cross.

The address and evening entertainment will be free to the public and a capacity house is assured. The doors will be open at 8 p. m. sharp and address be made at 8:30. Come early to avoid confusion.

Red Cross Background.

A feature of the stage setting will be one hundred or more Red Cross women workers of Brainerd in uniform forming a solid background, with the speaker and representative men in the foreground. The opera house will be decorated in national colors under the supervision of Mrs. Robert Campbell. The Brainerd high school orchestra will furnish music and the evening promises to be one marked by patriotic demonstration and replete with instruction.

Drive Progressing

The Red Cross War Fund drive is progressing but the goal is still far from being reached. There is a tendency on the part of some to "let George do it" and this should be discouraged. Although over \$6,500 has been reported in, this represents a large donation from the Crosbyton district and every locality must do its part in order that the quota of \$15,000 is reached.

Time is Short

But four more days remain for solicitors to work in; any who have not been approached are urged to call on Henry L. Cohen, city district chairman or at headquarters in the Chamber of Commerce rooms and "sign up."

Do it now, it will be a satisfaction after life and the future estimates of an individual will be based, in a large degree, upon his or her record in the winning of the war, be it at home or across the sea. Do all you can, pinch, save, deny yourself, for the lads over there are not asking, "have we done enough?" but, "give us another crack at them"—and they mean it.

What's the answer? Brainerd WILL.

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Casualty List

Washington, May 22—The casualty list contains forty-eight names

All possible publicity should be given from now until June 5th, in regard to the coming draft registration of young men who have reached the age of 21 years since June 5th, 1917.

On June 5th, 1918, all men having become of age since last registration will be required to report to the local board of their respective county for registration under the selective service act.

Full information and location of registration headquarters in Crow Wing county can be had by direct application to the exemption board of this county.

—BUY W. S. S.—

Ten Dead and Many Injured, Lone Rock Hit

(By United Press)

Madison, Wis., May 22—Death rode on the crest of a tornado which swept Iowea, Richland and Sauk counties leaving a path of destruction in its wake, killing at least ten persons, injuring many more and damaging property to the extent of a million dollars.

Lone Rock was the hardest hit, six being killed outright there, thirty injured and half the village razed. At Plaine a boy was killed and several persons injured. The damage to fruit trees is extensive. Reports are coming in slowly because of wires being down and phone connections interrupted.

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Moderating.
Co-operative observer's record, 7
P. M.—
May 21, maximum 56 minimum 44
Reading in evening, 56. Cloudy.
Southeast wind. Rainfall 0.46 inch
May 22, minimum for night, 39.

LOCAL NEWS NOTES

News of Parties, Visitors, Visits, Deaths, Accidents, Etc., gratefully received by the Dispatch. Telephone North-west 74.

Clark's for your wall paper. 251tf

Mrs. Nick Adams, who has been visiting in Ironton, returned today and will also visit in Little Falls and St. Cloud on the way to her home in Minneapolis. Mr. Adams has a large cement contract in Ironton.

Brainerd has had no successful

dance for some time. This fact ought to bring a big crowd out to the Commercial College dance Friday evening, May 24th, at the K. C. hall. It is in charge of the Red Cross, and a five-piece orchestra furnishes the music. By all means keep Friday evening open for this event. 298t2

Henry White famous Asparagus, Brockway & Parker, sole agents.

Mrs. J. A. Cochran went to Little Falls this afternoon to visit Mr. and Mrs. Shep Murphy.

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Mr. and Mrs. J. M. Quinn of St. Paul, Brainerd visitors, returned this afternoon to their home.

Vacuum cleaner for rent. Brainerd Electric Co., Phone N. W. 179, Automatic 6012. 263tf

J. P. Corty of Wishel, N. D., is visiting his son-in-law and daughter, Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Torba.

See our new line of "Liberty Maid" waists selling this week for \$1. B. Kaatz & Son. 11

Mrs. B. E. Dunham went to Dubuque, Iowa, this afternoon where she will visit a month with her parents.

Minnows for sale, 309 Third Ave. N. E., Phone 900-J. 287tf

Mrs. W. F. Dieckhaus and Mrs. Claus A. Theorin went to St. Cloud this afternoon to visit Mrs. L. S. Budd.

For bargains in houses and lots, see J. R. Smith, Sleepier Block. 226tf

R. B. Withington left this morning for Sauk Center to attend the district convention of bankers. He is expected home tomorrow.

Another extra salespeople wanted to wait on people and help mark down prices on the entire stock at A. J. Cullen Co. store, corner 7th and Front streets, for the big MUST-BE-SOLD SALE which opens in Brainerd this week, Friday, May 24th, and continues for 13 days. Experience not particularly necessary. Call at once, or phone 281-J. 298t2

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Employes of the Northern Pacific have demonstrated their patriotism in the purchase of a large flag and the same was today floated from a tall staff near the temporary waiting room, erected by the company after the destruction of the old depot by fire. The flag is 8x15 feet in dimensions, made of the best material and embellishes a section of Sixth street where more people congregate perhaps than any other part of the city.

WANTED TO BORROW—\$4,000 loan wanted on new \$10,000.00 business property in growing Central Minnesota town. Will pay 8% for 5 years. Address "C. A." Brainerd Dispatch. 29513

Boone, Iowa, May 22.—A Tornado which swept this city killed three persons, injured from 50 to 100 others and caused property damage of \$100,000 to \$1,000,000.

Calls for physicians and nurses to care for the injured have been sent from Ames, Des Moines, and other nearby cities.

Two Dead at Newton.

Newton, Iowa, May 22.—Two persons are dead and six or more injured, some dangerously, and thousands of dollars of damage done to farm buildings and houses, in a tornado here. Trees were uprooted, houses unrooted and much damage done to crops.

Another Killed at Denison.

Des Moines, May 22.—Central Iowa was visited by a number of small tornadoes with some loss of life and considerable property damage.

One man was killed and two severely injured two miles out of Denison in Crawford county.

Wires are down all over the storm district and complete particulars are lacking early tonight.

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Hays, Kan., May 22.—Ten persons were killed, two seriously injured and dozens of others less seriously hurt in a tornado which swept across the Northern Ellis and Southern Rock counties. The little town of Codell in Rock county was probably wiped out. All the churches, schools, buildings and larger business houses and residences were demolished by the tornado and the debris swept away.

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Madison, Wis., May 22.—Lone Rock, a village 30 miles north of Madison, was practically wiped out by a tornado, according to reports received here.

At Mt. Horeb, 18 miles southwest, barns and houses were destroyed by the wind.

The storm broke the Madison power line from Prairie De Sac and for three hours this city was in total darkness.

A cottage on the lake front was struck by lightning and burned.

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United States District Court, District of Minnesota, Fifth Division.

In the matter of Paul Pyka, sometimes known as Paul Peka or Paul Pika, Bankrupt, in Bankruptcy.

To the creditors of Paul Pyka, sometimes known as Paul Peka, or Paul Pika, of Elmdale town, in the county of Morrison, and District aforesaid, Bankrupt:

Notice is hereby given that on the 16th day of May, A. D. 1918, the said Paul Pyka, sometimes known as Paul Peka or Paul Pika was duly adjudged a bankrupt and the first meeting of creditors will be held at the office of the undersigned, 604 Palladio Building, Duluth, Minnesota, on Friday the 7th day of June, A. D. 1918, at 11 o'clock A. M., at which time the creditors may attend, prove their claims and elect a trustee, examine the bankrupt and transact such other business as may properly come before the meeting.

Dated Duluth, Minnesota, May 21, 1918.

WILLIAM O. PEALER,
Referee in Bankruptcy.

***** SURGICAL DRESSING CLASS *****

The Surgical Dressings class will meet tonight instead of tomorrow night on account of the loyalty meeting at the opera house tomorrow night. All are urged to come.

***** Helps to Keep Fit *****

When the digestion is out of order, it throws the whole physical being out of gear. B. B. Hayward, Utadida, Ga., writes: "Foley Cathartic Tablets give me quicker relief than anything I have ever tried. They relieve biliousness, bad breath, bloating, gas, indigestion, and constipation. No griping or nausea. H. P. Dunn druggist."

***** THE BEST TEST *****

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Years ago Chas. Ellison of 513 S. Quince St., Brainerd, told of good results from using Doan's Kidney Pills. Now Mr. Ellison confirms the former statement—says there has been no return of the trouble. Can Brainerd people ask for more convincing testimony?

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TORNADOES HIT THREE STATES

Series of Vicious Storms Sweep Over Iowa, Wisconsin and Kansas.

ATTACK BREAKS DOWN

British Repulse German Counter Thrust Northwest of Mererville.

Number of German Prisoners Are Taken by Americans During Fighting in Lorraine.

EIGHTEEN ARE KILLED

Large Number of Persons Are Reported to Have Been Injured and the Damage to Property Will Prove Very Heavy.

With the American Army in France, May 22.—The official statement issued from American headquarters says: "In the course of reconnaissance combats in Lorraine we captured prisoners. Here and in the Woëvre the artillery of both sides showed considerable activity."

London, May 22.—A heavy German counter attack against the British lines northwest of Mererville, on a line two-thirds of a mile, broke down under the strong British resistance, according to Field Marshal Haig's report from British Headquarters in France.

The French also repelled an attack north of Bellies.

Washington, May 22.—Further evidence that another great Austrian drive against Italy is impending came in an official dispatch from Switzerland saying information from Vienna showed Austria planned to suppress all military operations in the east on May 20 to concentrate forces for the Italian front.

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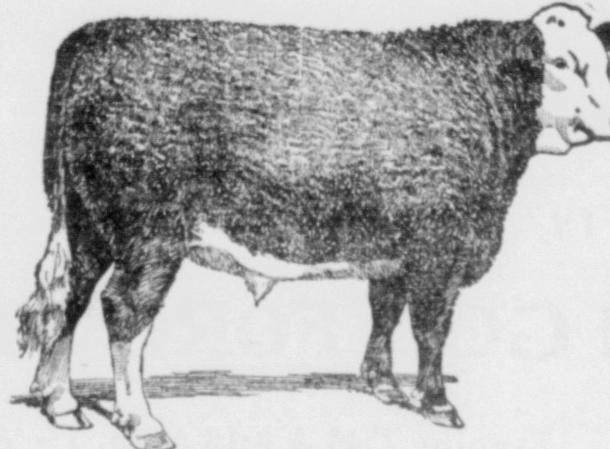
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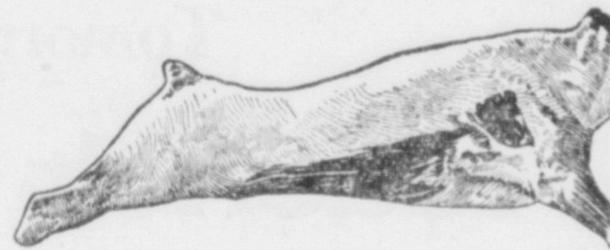


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REWARD FOR INFORMATION

I will pay \$25 reward for information that will lead to the recovery of my Ford car that was stolen from my garage on Sixth street south on the night of May 6. The car was 1914 model and the number was 432,409, engine number 452,279. The license number was 156,643. Notify August Hallquist, Brainerd, Minn. 289tf

Bethlehem Ladies Aid

The Ladies' Aid society of the Norwegian Bethlehem Lutheran church will meet Thursday afternoon, May 23rd, at the home of Mrs. Louis Peterson, 601 S. 5th St.

—BUY W. S. S.—

FOLEY KIDNEY PILLS
FOR RHEUMATISM KIDNEYS AND BLADDES

WOMAN'S REALM

SAVE LIVES OF 2,000 INFANTS

Federal Government Through Council of National Defense Calls on Minnesota to Aid

STATE VITAL STATISTICS

Every County in Minnesota Asked to Specialize on Infant Welfare Work This Year

The federal government through the Council of National Defense, has asked Minnesota to save the lives of 2,600 infants and children this year as the state's part of a national campaign to avoid 100,000 child deaths from preventable diseases.

The office of Dr. H. M. Bracken, State Board of Health Commissioner, has statistics from which it has been deduced that in Minnesota 2,134 infants or children below the kindergarten school age died from preventable causes last year.

Every county in Minnesota is asked to specialize on infant welfare work this year and a campaign for child conservation will soon be under way in Crow Wing county. Recently our county commissioners were petitioned for the appointment of a Child Welfare Board.

A county child welfare board will act as local administrative unit for the county in the enforcement of all laws relating to the protection of defective, delinquent, dependent and neglected children. Such a board is an official body, acting in behalf of the state in the interests of children who are in need of the state's care and guardianship. These boards will have close contact with the probate judge, who is judge of the children's court. They will investigate for the judge applications for county allowances (so-called mothers' pensions) and will visit frequently the homes where such allowances have been given and keep the judge advised as to the conditions of the home and the use which is being made of the allowance. The welfare boards will investigate cases of delinquency and neglect of children, will report the facts to the court, making proper petitions when necessary and assisting the court in shaping an enlightened policy with respect to delinquency and its attendant problems.

The welfare boards will advise and assist the State Board of Control in the establishment of proper remedial measures in the care of the feeble-minded. It is hoped that these boards, will familiarize themselves with the problem of feeble-mindedness of their respective localities that they will be able to represent to the legislature the imperative need for greatly enlarged facilities in the care of the feeble-minded.

The new child welfare laws require that homes which seek to adopt children must be visited and approved by the State Board of Control. In the same way a home which received a child for permanent care without adoption must on investigation prove to be a proper one to receive the child. The welfare boards will assist in making these investigations and will recommend the proper action to be taken in individual cases.

The unmarried mother and the illegitimate child, who are so often in need of friendly assistance and care will find the child welfare boards clothed with authority to help them in every possible way.

William W. Hodson is director of the Children's Bureau, State Board of Control for Minnesota.

MRS. L. P. HALL,
Chairman, Crow Wing County.

—BUY W. S. S.—

Swedish Baptist Church Notes

The choir meets for rehearsal in church tonight at 8 o'clock.

Thursday evening teachers meeting at 7:30 promptly.

Prayer and praise service at 8:00 o'clock, Eric Anderson to have charge of the opening part of the service.

Friday evening at 8 o'clock the Willing Workers society will give an interesting program at the church. Besides vocal and musical selections, there will be a question box. There are a number of questions written on slips of paper that will be answered by the pastor. Refreshments will be served at the close of the program. Mrs. Geo. Thon will entertain. The public is cordially invited to attend.

—BUY W. S. S.—

Business Meeting

A business meeting of the Young Peoples society of the Swedish Bethel church will be held at the church this evening.

—BUY W. S. S.—

Meeting Postponed

The mid-week service of the First Congregational church will not be held on Thursday evening.

—BUY W. S. S.—

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Body fat is stored-up energy. Keep your energy in circulation—not in storage. Don't be afraid of POTATOES. Eat plenty of them. Use up the energy they give you for your war work and stay slender.

Eat Well

Work Hard Be Patriotic Write the United States Department of Agriculture for new POTATO recipes.

—BUY W. S. S.—

MUSICAL PROGRAM

Miss Signe E. Beck Soloist at First Methodist Church Tuesday Evening

A musical program will be given at the First Methodist church next Tuesday evening, May 28th, at 8:15 o'clock to which the public is most cordially invited.

Miss Signe E. Beck, one of Brainerd's teachers, will be the soloist of the evening and will be assisted by Miss Fern Hitt, violinist; Wm. Rodenkichen, cellist; Morris D. Folsom, pianist, and the Apollo male quartette.

Miss Beck has a rich contralto voice and has rendered most excellent service in the music of the Methodist church during the past year. The soloist will be heard in two groups of songs which are sure to delight the audience.

There will be no admission charged and all are invited.

—BUY W. S. S.—

SHARPS AND FLATS

(By Fidd)

This column which has occasionally made its appearance during the past year now bids farewell until the next season which will be Sept. 1st. Taken all in all the last year musically has surpassed all former years in Brainerd. The coming season depends upon the success of the Allied Armies, in fact all that we hold dear depends upon that alone.

—O—

Without any question the concert given last Thursday by the Brainerd Symphony had all former concerts out-distanced in all particulars. The music was the best. The orchestra never played as well. There were more musicians. The soloists were splendid. The crowd was much larger. The whole affair was a community undertaking and was simply an overwhelming success. Although there are a few of the Symphony Association that cannot continue as members Mr. Bergh will call a meeting the later part of this month to re-organize and those who wish to join are asked to attend.

—O—

Hundreds are now interested in the success of the Brainerd Symphony and are willing to give both time and money that all future concerts may equal and even surpass the one given last week.

—O—

The wonderful violin playing of Alice Johnstone at the recent concert was a source of satisfaction to her teacher and the hundreds who heard her. That Alice will be a solo violinist of the highest order is without question. Owing to nervousness her playing at the afternoon performance did in nowhere compare with the evening, when she seemed to completely surpass herself.

—O—

The expenses of the symphony concert this time was \$75 less than former concerts and those who managed to keep the expense down and still keep up the standard already set, are to be congratulated.

—O—

Many people noticed the splendid work of Rehl, Graham and Loom at the recent concert and we too felt it was a privilege to live in a town that could boast of such musicians.

—O—

It always is the fate of the one who plays an accompaniment never to receive any recognition of the first quality. The accompaniment whether it be for vocal or instrumental performers, is really half of its success.

—O—

The band season is about to open and we look for much good music. The band has been strengthened by new talent and with their new conductor we wish them success.

—O—

Helen Frost came up from St.

Cloud that she might play with the orchestra. Helen's loyalty to the symphony draws forth our heartiest approval.

—O—

Miss Mildred Smith of St. Cloud, who sang so beautifully, went away with nothing but words of praise for music and musicians in Brainerd. Miss Smith urged us to come to St. Cloud next season where the people would welcome the orchestra with a packed house.

—O—

Did anyone notice the clarinet obbligato to "Just a Wearying" for You?"

—O—

The Brainerd Symphony will go to Crosby next Friday for the final concert of the season.

—O—

Four concert companies will be organized this summer and will this fall play towns all over the northwest under the management of the "Brainerd Lyceum Course." Mr. Bergh and other prominent local musicians, will take part.

WANTS

HELP WANTED

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WEDNESDAY, MAY 22, 1918.

The Dispatch office will be closed from 1 o'clock on, Thursday afternoon, day of the funeral, as a mark of respect and honor to its editor, the late N. H. Ingersoll.

—BUY W. S. S.—

NEWSPAPER OFFICES CLOSED THURSDAY AFTERNOON

As a mark of respect to the late N. H. Ingersoll, editor of the Brainerd Dispatch, and in order that all our employees may attend the funeral, the offices of the Brainerd Tribune and the Brainerd Journal-Press will be closed between the hours of 2 and 4 p. m., on Thursday afternoon, 23d inst.

A. J. HALSTED,
Pub. Tribune.
R. M. SHEETS,
for Journal-Press Co.
—BUY W. S. S.—

When the labor unions of Brainerd enter into any public activity, they do so in such a manner as to insure success. There is no half-hearted participation in anything on the part of the boys who toil.

Collectively the strongest endorsement of the American Red Cross its friends could desire.

The news of the passing across the Great Divide of Editor N. H. Ingersoll of Brainerd comes as a sad shock and of personal bereavement to a large circle of friends, thru the state, which include the newspaper men of Minnesota.

"Bob" Ingersoll was a general favorite, a man of sterling character, and of a most delightful personality. He was loyal to his friends and his city, and his record was clean and manly.

He has been honored by his brother editors, and he was one of the beloved scribes of the commonwealth.

The deepest sympathy to his esteemed wife and son, and to his business partner for many years, will be extended by a host of friends thru the northwest.—St. Cloud Journal-Press.

The editorial profession of Minnesota is today mourning the death of one of its prominent and honored members of the profession, N. H. Ingersoll, of the Brainerd Daily Dispatch, whose summons came suddenly on Monday, after a brief illness of three days.

Mr. Ingersoll was not only prominent in his profession, but was a leading figure in his home city, having held official positions and been zealous and loyal in all movements for the public betterment.

To the stricken family, the Minnesota editorial profession extends its heartfelt sympathy.—St. Cloud Times.

A SPLENDID ENDORSEMENT

The Red Cross parade on Saturday, May 18, served the purpose for which it was intended and more. It brought to closer public attention the wide scope of the work and must have impressed all who saw it with the predominating fact that it is supported perhaps more generally than any other movement incident to the winning of the war.

The manner in which labor unions turned out in the parade, the interest shown by men and women workers for the Red Cross, the representation of fraternal orders and lodges, the hard work entailed in arranging the parade and the willingness of all to aid in making it a success, are col-

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lectively the strongest endorsement of the American Red Cross its friends could desire.

It is no longer considered a "great sacrifice" to sit complacently while the waitress at a hotel does out one lump of sugar, the family buys a Liberty Bond or donates to the Red Cross. The public is rapidly learning that such sacrifices as those at home can make to help win the war are small in comparison to those being made by the boys over there and those who are left behind in their home circle. And we have more education along this line coming.

—BUY W. S. S.—

LOSSES REFLECT HUN DRIVE

British Casualties for Week Ending May 21 Are 36,677.

London, May 22—British casualties to the number of 36,677 have been reported in the week ending May 21.

The casualties are divided as follows:

Killed or died of wounds: Officers, 313; men, 3,815.

Wounded or missing: Officers, 1,241; men, 31,398.

The British casualty reports are still reflecting the recent heavy fighting although the totals are beginning to decrease. The figure last week was 41,612, the largest of any week since the German offensive began.

O'L TANKER REPORTED LOST

Navy Department Officially Notified But Details Lacking.

Washington, May 22—Loss of the American tanker William Rockefeller at sea has been officially reported to the navy department. Details are lacking, but a supplementary report has been promised. The department is withholding an announcement of the loss until it publishes the casualties involved.

This Widow Was Helped

Mrs. A. Walden, 460 Glenn Ave., Fresno, Cal., writes: "I had a fever and it left me with a cough every winter. Foley's Honey and Tar helps me every time. I am a widow 66 years old." Nothing better for bronchial, grip and similar coughs and colds that hang on. Just fine for croup and whooping-cough.—H. P. Dunn, druggist—Advt. mwf

—BUY W. S. S.—

Cut This Out—It is Worth Money.

Washington, May 22—President Wilson signed the sedition bill giving the government wide powers to punish disloyal acts and utterances.

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This honest testimony from a woman who has suffered should be heeded.

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AGENTS GATHER DATA

Federal Officials Discover Irish-German Plots In America.

Agitation Among Other Nationalities Has Been Carried on by Use of Teutonic Money.

Washington, May 22.—It is announced that government agents have uncovered German intrigue with several nationalistic groups in the United States. This statement followed disclosures that the government has gathered evidence in this country of conspiracies between Irish and Sinn Fein leaders and German agents to precipitate a rebellion in Ireland.

German money, it was said, has been used to finance agitation among negroes, Finns, Lithuanians and other of the so-called "oppressed nationalities," which for years have had nationalist grievances against Russia or other anti-German allies. In most cases this propaganda has been carried on by Americans affiliated with these groups.

For many months United States government agents have been inside the councils of the Irish in this country who plotted armed insurrection of Irish citizens against British rule and have discovered conclusive evidence that German money and promises of aid stimulated the conspiracies as a means of diverting the British government from its war task in France.

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Don't miss this. Cut out this slip, enclose with five cents to Foley & Co., 2835 Sheffield Ave., Chicago, Ill., writing your name and address clearly. You will receive in return a trial package containing Foley's Honey and Tar Compound for coughs, colds and croup, Foley Pills and Foley Cathartic Tablets. H. P. Dunn, druggist.

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William C. Wheeler, Charged With Draft Evasion, in Crow Wing County Jail Here

WRITES JUDGE SEEING LIGHT
Judge Booth Glad to Learn of Wheeler's Conversion and Replies to Him in Brainerd

William C. Wheeler, college man who let his I. W. W. affiliations so influence him as to refuse to register for the draft and who in Hennepin county was sentenced to ten months in the Crow Wing county jail, has renounced the whole I. W. W. propaganda, root and branch, and in a letter to Judge Wilbur F. Booth of the federal court has told of his seeing the light.

In reply, Judge Booth of St. Paul, wrote him he was very glad to learn that his views in regard to the duties of American citizens in the present crisis had undergone a radical change and trusted that his efforts and influence would be directed toward sustaining the government in its present task in every possible way.

"Certainly every man of your education and ability," continued Judge Booth, "ought to be on the side of constructive rather than destructive work."

—BUY W. S. S.—
MERRIFIELD ITEMS

Merrifield Red Cross Ladies Make a Service Flag for the Village at Their Meeting

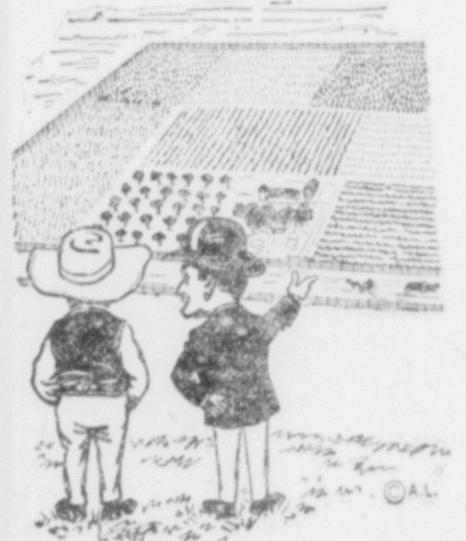
Merrifield, Minn., May 22.—The Merrifield Auxiliary of the Red Cross will hold an auction sale at Hollingsworth's hall May 22 at 8 o'clock in the evening, proceeds to go to the war fund. There will be a dance, good music and everyone is welcome.

Mrs. George Cossette and daughters visited Brainerd on Wednesday.

Mrs. Clayton Hollingsworth left Thursday for a visit with her parents at Pillager.

The ladies of the Red Cross met with Mrs. Stacy Long Tuesday afternoon and made a Merrifield service flag.

—BUY W. S. S.—



FOR SALE THIS WEEK, SIX 50-FOOT RICH, FINE RESIDENCE AND GARDEN LOTS, well located, N. E., for \$75 each (except corners). Terms, the 6 for \$30 cash and \$15 a month, (three for 1/2 above). We will help build. Lots are cleared nearly ready to plow. These fresh, rich soil lots should pay for themselves if well managed in 3 years. Other large liberty lots for \$50 to \$100, very easy terms, well located, too. You will be surprised to know how good these rich, level lots are. They should be seen. If not sold this week will rent the six lots, 1/2 block for \$12. They ought to raise \$300 worth of potatoes, beans, cabbage and onions this year. Investigate. Liberty Realty Co., per Netleton.

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321 S. 6th St., Brainerd, Minn.

LITTLE ONE CALLED

Two Months Baby of Roy Sherlund of South Seventh Street Passed Away This Morning

The two months old baby son of Mr. and Mrs. Roy Sherlund of South Seventh street, passed away this morning after a short illness and the mother is almost prostrated with grief. Mr. Sherlund was called to the cities yesterday on business and is hurrying home. Pneumonia was the cause of death.

The sympathy of the community is extended the grief stricken ones.

—BUY W. S. S.—

VIEW REMAINS

Body of N. H. Ingersoll to Lie in State in First Congregational Church Thursday

Shortly before noon on Thursday the remains of N. H. Ingersoll will be removed from the residence to the First Congregational church and will lie in state there until the hour of the funeral, 2:30 o'clock.

Mr. Ingersoll was a member of the Masonic bodies, of the Odd Fellows, Workmen and Woodmen.

—BUY W. S. S.—

Notice A. O. U. Workmen

All members are requested to meet at Elks hall at 2 o'clock Thursday afternoon, for the purpose of attending the funeral of our late brother, N. H. Ingersoll.

By Order of M. W.

—BUY W. S. S.—

CLIPPINGS FROM PRESS NEIGHBORS**Good Evidence**

Can any good citizen read the testimony presented at the trial of the 112 I. W. W. degenerates at Chicago and entertain a kindly feeling for any of that class. Evidence shows that they are the enemies of this, their country, pro-Germans, favoring all kinds of strikes and tie-ups, as well as advocating the destruction of property. Such men are as guilty of treachery and disloyalty as the man who deserts his country in the hour of need, and is deserving of the most severe punishment.—Stillwater Gazette.

"A Good Pair."

It is the common report throughout the Sixth district that Harold Knutson has received the secret endorsement of the non-partisan league. No question, but of the different candidates before the people, Harold would be the logical one to receive this endorsement. His vote against America defending its national honor and his later statement that the war was caused by the rich, is right in line with the Townley propaganda. Lindbergh and Knutson make a good pair to draw to.—Hubbard County Journal.

Admitted

According to revenue collectors who travel about the state assisting in the making out of income tax reports, and who therefore have an opportunity to know, there is no line of business that has been so hard hit financially by war conditions as the newspapers. And yet, strange as it may seem, there is no line of business expected to contribute so much for nothing as the newspapers.—Alexander Citizen.

Strange Logic.

What makes us laugh is the fact that the papers which insinuated that Woolley would support Knutson were he nominated and were attacking him on that ground, are attacking Woolley because he denied that statement and says he will not support Knutson. Politics makes strange logic. Woolley, it would seem, would rather be right than congressmen.—Cass Lake Times.

The Irish question is always disturbing the English parliament. Just now it takes the form, "Is the shield mightier than the sword?"—Bemidji Sentinel.

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"THE WOMAN GOD FORGOT" AT BEST

Geraldine Farrar in Grand Spectacle, One of Triumphs of the Silent Drama Scored

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Miss Farrar Also Wears a Leopard Skin Coat Made From Nine Leopard Skins

For the head-dresses, pheasant wings and the more elaborate plumage were used in "The Woman God Forgot," in which Geraldine Farrar appears at the Best theatre today. An extensive search was made through every wholesale millinery and feather supply house on the coast. As certain feathers are no longer imported into the United States, this was no easy task, but finally they were secured and the huge work room of the wardrobe department was filled with workers. Two eight-hour shifts of forty people each did nothing but paste and work out the feathered designs, and after the feathers had been cleaned and dyed in the desired colors, a corps of ten jewelers were set to work making the breast-paltes, crowns, bracelets and other jeweled ornaments to be used by the nobility.

One of the cloaks worn by Raymond Hatton as the Emperor weighs nearly fifty pounds and is of yellow and blue feathers, woven into the design. The head-dress is also of this same combination of colors and even the shield at the back of the throne is made of the same material.

Theodore Kosloff, the noted Russian dancer, who plays the role of Guatemo, for his marriage to Geraldine Farrar as Montezuma's daughter, wore a great long cloak entirely of long white feathers. All of Miss Farrar's head-dresses were creations of millinery that would make the average feminine heart green with jealousy.

In addition to the feather costumes Miss Farrar wore a leopard skin coat made from nine leopard skins.

The armor for the Spanish invaders was another interesting item, as all of this had to be of substantial steel to withstand the arrows of the Aztecs which were fired at them from the roof of the temple.

Another item in the production of "The Woman God Forgot," was the birds. In Montezuma's daughter's private garden there were a thousand birds, ranging from pheasants and cockatoos to parrots and paroquets. To prevent them from escaping, a huge cage had to be constructed, fifty feet in height and two hundred feet in length.

The feathered garments can not be used again, and their beauty and color cannot be effectively shown on the screen, but everything in the production is historically accurate. The mere matter of expense was of but a momentary thought to Cecil B. deMille, whose chief aim is the advancement of the photodramatic art.

—BUY W. S. S.—

ROLL OF HONOR

Peter Murray received a wire Sunday that his son, Private Bruce Murray, was severely wounded April 14 in the left leg. He is a nephew of Angus Murray of Oak Lawn and it is the second time he has been wounded. He entered the war at the beginning from Strom, Alberta, Canada.

Word has been received that Corporal Arthur Brousseau, formerly of Little Falls, now in the service in France, has been wounded and is in a field hospital "somewhere in France." He was wounded April 6 by a fragment of a shell which burst 20 feet from him. He is still confined to the hospital but expects to be released some time this month. He is a brother of Mrs. Steve Tougas residing near Brainerd. Others of his brothers in the service are Private Lloyd Brousseau, age 22, in the American Legion Guard at Peking, China, and Page Brousseau, age 17, in Battalion B, 2nd F. M. Bt., Fort Caswell, N. C.

—BUY W. S. S.—

AT THE FRONT

Harold Bouma, Brother of O. J. Bouma of Brainerd, Writes Mother of Experience

In a letter to his mother, Harry Bouma, brother of O. J. Bouma of Brainerd, writes of experiences "over there." He says:

Somewhere in France, Wednesday, April 17, 1918.

Dear Mother:—

Received your letter last evening and was mighty glad to get it. I think I explained about sending a card in a previous letter. Since writing that last letter I have moved twice and just now my platoon is separated from the regiment.

We have been treated fine since getting here, and although I can't say I like the people the country is very beautiful.

Of course we haven't had such a variety of eats but have had enough. The people have treated us fine and one can't help but sympathize with them. They certainly have grit. But the U. S. is so far ahead of France there is no chance for comparison; everywhere one can see the big things the U. S. has done for France.

I wish you could see some of the mammoth docks and railroad yards of the U. S. has built, and the beauty of it is the German prisoners helped build up the country they destroyed. The Germans I have talked with seem nice fellows.

Just now sixteen of us are sitting around a home-made table writing and reading. Tomorrow we will have lots of work to do.

Am sorry Clem had to go as he is needed at Grandville, but army life won't hurt him any; besides, I don't imagine he will be away very long.

There is no doubt as to who is going to win this war. Everything that can help protect the allied soldiers has been furnished them. The courage of American men is unquestioned.

Must close now and get to sleep. Give my regards to all the folks.

With love,

HAROLD,

P. S.—I forgot to tell you, the captain played a joke on the company April 1st and made me corporal.

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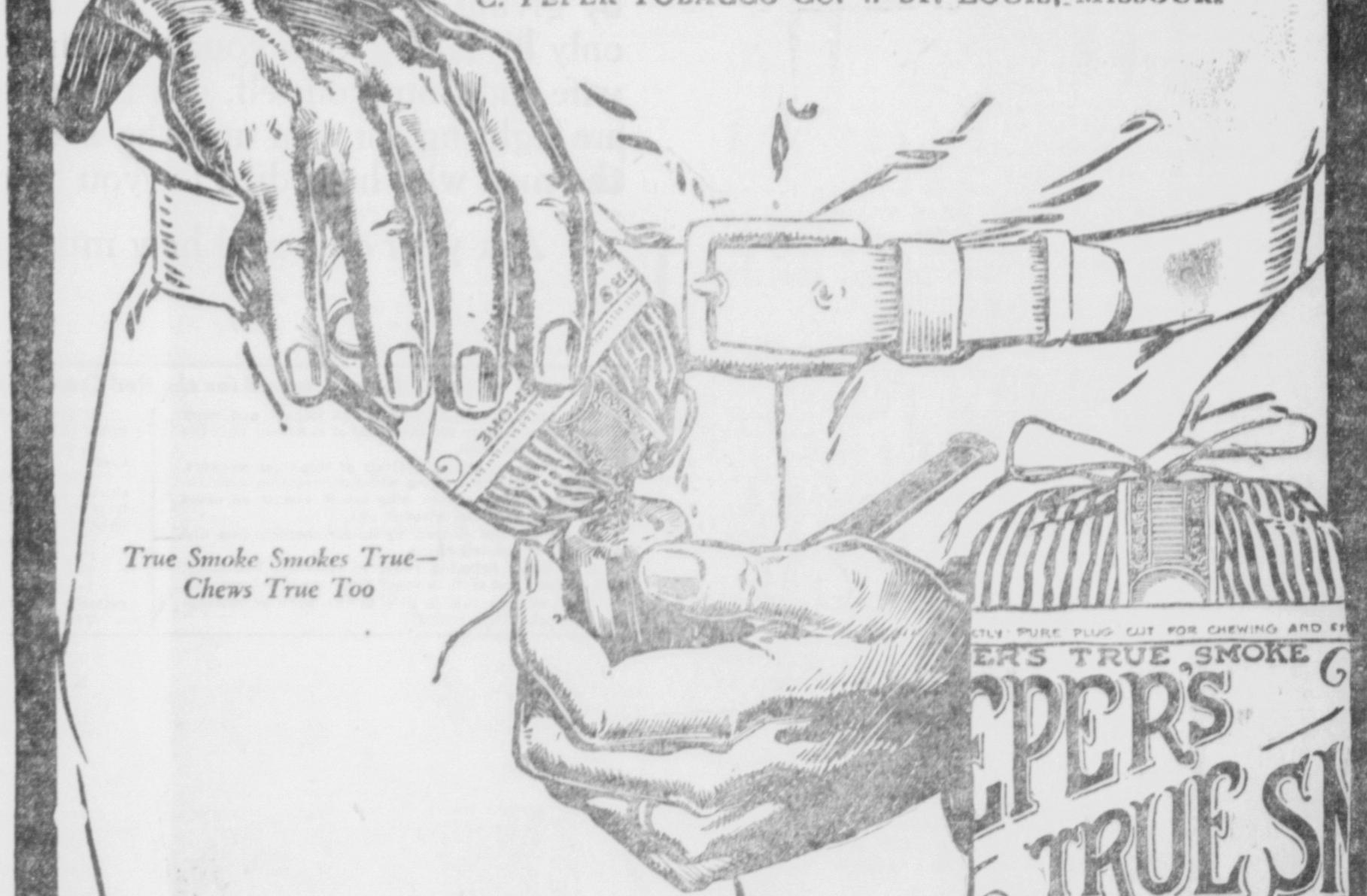
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WATCH THE DATE May 20-25th



*"A great net of mercy drawn through
an ocean of unspeakable pain"*

THREE is only one way to give to the Red Cross---give till your heart says stop. A little contribution is only a salve to pride.

This is not to say that contributions of only one dollar, or even of only one nickle, are not desired---and **needed**.

For you to give \$5 when you can give \$25---for you to give \$25 when you can give \$100, or to give \$100 when you can give \$500---is to dodge the heaviest obligation that this war has laid upon you.

For remember, this is *not* a charity:—this is a **duty**.

This is not a time to give because others give. This is a time to give because *others need*.

No man can tell you how much you ought to give. Except this: that "Over There" the *need* is so great that only by cutting to the quick, only by giving all that you think you can give and then *more*—only by giving not a little of your excess but much of it—only by taking from your own children and from your wife and from yourself, can the *needs* of the men who are fighting for you and the *needs* of the children of the men who have died for you be met.

Ask your own soul how much it should be!

Every cent of every dollar received for the Red Cross War Fund goes for War Relief.

The American Red Cross is the largest and most efficient organization for the relief of suffering that the World has ever seen.

It is made almost entirely of volunteer workers, the highest executives being without exception men accustomed to large affairs, who are in almost all cases giving their services without pay.

It is supported entirely by its membership fees and by voluntary contributions.

It is today bringing relief to suffering humanity, both military and civil, in every War torn allied country. It plans tomorrow to help in the work of restoration throughout the world.

It feeds and clothes entire populations in times of great calamity.

It is there to help your soldier boy in his time of need.

With its thousands of workers, its tremendous stores and smooth running transportation facilities, it is serving as America's advance guard—and thus helping to win the war.

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